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TELEGRAMS.

MEXICAN AFFAIRS. FIGHTING CEASES.

[Reuter's Service To The "Telegraph."] [Reuter's Service To The "Telegraph."] [Reuter's Service To The "Telegraph."]

London. Received December 15. Reuter's correspondent at Washington says Rear-Admiral Fletcher cables that the rebels have withdrawn from Tampico and that the fighting has coared The Federal troops have been reinforced.

The American Navy surgeons are helping at the Military Hospital, where 200 wounded Mexicans are lying.

Rebel Reverse. London, Received December, 16. Reuter's correspondent at Mexico City states that the defeat of the rebels at Tampico is confirmed. The Federal troops report that 800 rebels were killed by the artillery and gunboate, and it is probable that the rebels will again attack their opponents.

Buzzards hovering over the battlefield on Sunday presented the appearance of low-lying black

New Dictator. Reuter's New York correspondent reports that a telegram from El Paso says that General Villa is virtually Diotator at Chihushua He has seized \$5,000,000 worth of property belonging to foreigners, has executed twenty Mexicans, has commanded the Foreign Consuls to obey robel

they must pay largely to support the rebels. These proceedings are displeasing Washington, the authorities of which have remonstrated with General Carranza.—Reuter.

orders, and has informed the

IMPERIAL AVIATION.

London. Received December 15. Lord Deaborough, the President of the Imperial Air Fleet Committee, which has already presented an heroplane to the Zealand Government, appeals for £10,000 to enable the Committee to carry on its work of calling the attention of the Empire to the need for nerial defence, and for providing the first units to other Dominions.— Reuter.

PARTIALLY DESTROYED BY FIRE.

London. Received December 16. Reuter's correspondent at Berlin states that one-third of the that of Vice-President Li Yuan Grand Dake's historic Scherwin | Hung's eleven year old daughter Castle has been burned, and to the youngest son of Yuan quantities of precious furniture, Shih-kai will take place soon. pictures and tapestry destroyed. Der. Ost. Lloyd. -Reuter.

TUNNEL COLLAPSES.

TRAIN WRECKED.

London, Received December 16. Reuter's correspondent at Dresden states that Harrasfelsen funnel collapsed owing to earth government) be 'nominated as tremora.

A train subsequently deshed into the tunnel and was wrecked. four people being killed and 34 injured.—Reuter.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE'S SON

London, Received December 18. Mr. David Lloyd George, son of the Chancellor of the Exchequer, who has been ill at Ban Jose from ptomaine poisoning, is now convalencent .- Reuter

TELEGRAMS.

THE SUPPRAGISTS.

DEMONSTRATION DISPERSED

London, Received December 15. Several men, women and children were thrown down and M.C.C. team and South Africa slightly hurt by mounted police was continued at Durban on who were dispersing a Suffragist Monday. demonstration in a narrow. In their first innings South thoroughfare at Bow.

More Destruction. Suffragists have bruend Southern Leigh Mansion, Bristole

Miss Pankhurst Released, Miss Sylvia Pankhurst, who was arrested on the 10th inst. while attending a meeting of the "Suffrage Aimy," has been re-

Timber Yard Burne.d

The suffragists have burned imber-yard at Devonport, much damage resulting to adjoining property.

The total damage is estimated vasionally between £12,000 and

Bluej ickets and soldiers assisted the firemen in the work of quelling the outbreak.—Reuter.

CRETE.

ANNEXED BY GREECE.

London. Received December 15. Reuter's correspondent " merchants of all nationalities that | Cauca says Crete was annexed by Grecce on Saturday morning with great coremony, King Constantine, accompanied by the Premier, hoisting the Greek ling in the preserve of the Consula and amid the tumultuous cheering of ornwda of people. A saluto of 101 guns was afterwards fired by the Greek Fleet.

King Constantine attended a Te Doum at the Cathedral before the ceremony and a thanksgiving having fled in cances. APPEAL FOR A NOBLE WORK. service in the Synagogue ofter-

> His Majesty re-sailed for Athens in the evening.—Reuter.

VICE PRESIDENT LI.

NEW PALACE IN PEKING.

Peking. Received December 15. Plane for the erection of a new palacs to accommodate the Vice-President of the Republic have been prepared.

The new building will be located by the great northern lotus pond, just over the Marmor GERMAN DUCAL CASILE. Bridge behind the Presidentia

Vice-President Li Yuan-hung has instructed his aide de-campl to proceed to Wuchang in order to escort his (the Vice-President'h) family to Peking.

Officials report that the betro-

EX-ADMIRAL LI. SUGGESTED NEW POST.

Peking. Received December 15. Proposes that Tutuh Li Chun of Lloyd. Kiungsi (formerly Admiral at under the Manchu

Canton Tutuh of Hupeh.—Der. Oat

PRESIDENT YUAN'S POLICY.

Peking Received December 14. of the newly formed Political Koertes. Committee to-morrow. President Yuan Shih-kai is expected to appointed ambassador at St. outline his programme. The Petersburg.

TELEGRAMS.

THE TEST MATCH.

ENGLAND'S FINE SCORE.

Lonnon, Received December 16, The Test Match between the

Africa scored 182 on Saturday and the Englishmen resumed London, Received December 16. batting on Monday with an overnight of score of 94 for two wickets. The visitors batted brilliantly

and at the close of the second day's play they had compiled 419 runs for the loss of seven wickets. The principal scorers were Hobbs, 82; and Douglas, 105 not out.

In South Africa's first innings Taylor scored 109.—Reuter.

A TERRIBLE VOLCANO.

AWFUL PLIGHT OF ISLAND.

London. Received December 16. Reuter's correspondent at Melbourne wires that a volcano on Ambrym I-land, New Hebrides, has been active for many days:

Six new craters formed on the 6th inst. at Mount Minnie and collapsed on the following day, threatening a mission station and a hospital

The inhabitants took refuge in boats, and lava overwhelmed the buildings of villages on the north coast, which were abandoned without essualties among 'the small white population, though probably many natives have erished in the west interior.

The steamer France rescued 500 natives, mostly women and children, the able-bodied men

Fires have devastated the island, which is covered with cinders, while the rivers have een transformed into streams of burning lava.—Reuter.

ENTENTE CORDIALE.

BLUEJACKETS FRATERNISE.

Reuter's correspondent at Maritime Customs and the Salt Sedition in Wuchang. Toulon states that the merchants Gabelle. have entertained 300 of the visit-French bluejackets. Repeated Lloyd. cheers were given for Britain,

The town is on fete.—Reuler.

GREEK ARMY.

ASSISTANCE FROM FRANCE.

Berlin, Received December 15.

mission.

TUFKEY.

NEW AMBASSADORS APPOINTED.

Berlin. Received December 15. Enver Bey has come to Berlin In his speech at the opening to undergo treatment by Professor

Osman Nizam has been

Der. Ost. Lloyd.

TELEGRAMS.

THE LEBDS STRIKE. SOME STRIKERS RESUME.

[Router's Service To The "Telegraph."]

London. Received December 16. A number of strikers have resumed work at Leeds. Clerks continue to act as stokers at the Gas Works, while others are driving and conducting tramcars.-Reuter."

OBITUARY.

MR. MARTIN J. SUTTON.

London. Received December 16. The death is announced of Mr. Martin John Sutton, senior part ner in the well-known firm of Sutton and Sons, Beedsmen. Reuter.

The deceased, who was born in 1850, was prominently identified with the leading Agricultural Associations, and was an active Church of England, layman. He was J. P. for Oxfordshire and Freeman of the Borough of Reading. He was the author of many publications, including a Report on Agricultural Instruction in Great Britain to the Congres International de l'eseignement Republic and their subordinates Agricole, Paris; and papers on to abstain from participation in the Depression in Agriculture party politics.—Der. Ost. Lloyd. and Trade, Wheat Growing in Engand, and Rural Education. He was the recipient of several foreign Orders.]

CHINESE CURRENCY.

PROPOSALY REGARDING THE LOAN.

Peking, Received December 14. The proposals of the Banking currency loan are as follow;-

A Silver Standard. the same as hitherto.

denominations: 50 cents, 25 cents for Hankow yesterday. and 10 cents.

half a cent and one-tenth of a As security for, the new loan all classes.—Reuter to the N. London. Received December 16, Ohina offers the Jurplus of the Daily News.

The Banking Consortium has | ing British blue jackets and 300 sent a report home. - Der. Ost. of King Yo-wu have been

FOREIGN TROOPS IN CHINA.

TEST OF RUSSIAN SINCERITY

Peking, Received December 15, The Peking Daily News semi-King Constantine of Greece officially expressed the hope that has ordered the formation of a the Russian proposals regarding special army corps to be under the withdrawal of all foreign famous for the part he played in been signed. the command of a French military troops form Chihli are meant to be sincerely friendly, an attitude The officers comprising the which Russia could best prove by mission will be given commands settlement at the conference of the N.C. Daily News. representing the different bran- the Mongolian frontier dispute ches of the army.-Der. Ist. and the recall of Russian officers commanding the marauders of Inner Mongolia, who for a long have been devastating territory. - Der. Ost.

TOBACCO IN CHINA.

PROPOSED GOVERNMENT MONOPOLY.

Peking, Received December 15 plane for the establishment of a It does not appear possible for the since negotiations with the event is looked forward to with Hakki Pashs has been sp- tobacco growing monopoly in loan to be effected this year.— Quintuple Group were re- liquidation—General meeting of great excitement.—Der. Ost. pointed ambassador at London.— China, with the aid of foreign Der. Ost. Lingd to the N. C. Daily sumed.—Reuter to the N. C. shareholders, No. 5, Queen's Road. experts. -- Dor. Ost. Lloyd.

TELEGRAMS.

ANOTHER LEVIATHAN.

LAUNCH OF THE TIGER.

Reuter's Service To The "Telegraph."] [Router's Service To The "Telegraph."] Shanghai. Received December 16.

The battle-cruiser H. M. S.

ment, will have a speed of 28 bassadors in reference to the apknots and be armed with eight nointment of the German General 13 5-inch guns.—Reuter.

PIRACY SUPPRESSION.

CAMPAIGN IN KIANGSU.

Peking. Received December 14. The Chinese troops in the neighbourhood of Haichow have been reinforced by ten regiments for the purpose of suppressing piracy in North Kiangau-Der, Ost. Lloyd.

NO PARTY POLITICS.

Peking. Received December 14. President Yuan Shih-kai has equested the officers of

LATE TELEGRAMS.

State Religion for China.

Peking, December 6th. increasing. The Christian Chur ches in Peking are taking the matter up vigorously.

A committee representing nearly all the Churches and provinces has sent a delegate to Wuchang Consortium regarding the big to interview the Vice-President and point out to him the danger of making Confucianism the State The weight of the dollar to be Religion. General Chang, Yuan Shih-kai's military adviser, Silver pieces of the following undertaking this mission and left

The International Copper pieces of the following Bureau points out the danger of denominations: 5 cents, 2 cents, introducing a religious controversy at present when the Government should be intent on uniting

> Wuchang Dec. 6. · Pictures of the arrest and death placarded in the streets as warning to others to refrain from

sedition. An official calendar has been issued by the Education Office in the new style, but a private issue of old and new style calendars combined has been widely sold .-Reuter to the N. O. Daily News. Promotion for Admirai Tseng.

Peking, Dec. 7. As Admiral Liu has been ap pointed to officiate as Tutuh of Fukien it is intended Admiral Tseng Ju-cheng, who is Hankow which have already defending Kiangnan arsenal last summer, shall replace him Minister of the Navy.—Reuter to tinue, although the principals do

Peking, Dec. 7. ernment owned, as there is every early in March.

China Looking Ahead.

Government will hold a con- are busy. Hsuch hei, late Minister of Fin- financial agents in Peking, and Lummert's Sales Room 4-p.m. The Government is making ance, will represent the Premier. all have been offering money Tuesday, January 6.

to the N. O. Daily News.

TELEGRAMS.

TURKISH ARMY.

SCOPE OF GERMAN MISSION.

London. Received December 15. Tiger has been launched at stantinople says the Grand Vizier have resumed work.

Reuter's correspondent at Conto-day will reply to the enquiries She is of 28,000 tons displace of the French and Russian Am-Limat von Sanders as Commander-in-Chief of the Turkish Army Corps at Constantinopole. will say that the appointment was made at the instance of Mahmoud Pasha and Sheiket Pasha on the ground that the results of the employment of foreign advisers have proved unsatisfactory Therefore, it was proposed that foreign officers should enter the Turkish service altogether and receive the actual commands. That course had already been adopted in the appointments of Rear-Admiral Limpus to the command of the Navy, and of the English Colonel Hawker to the command of the Gendarmerie in Armenia. General Sanders's PRESIDENT YUAN'S ORDER authority will have limitations especially as regards the Straits and the City of Constantinople, the garrisons of which will be

The County System.

under Faik Bey -- Reuter.

Peking, Dec. 8. The Premier has revised the draft of the Bill for the abolition of the provincial system confining its operation to the eighteen provinces, enlarging the "ohows, The movement against the es- dividing each province into two tablishment of a State Beligion is or three "chows," and adopting a special system for the frontier provinces.—Reuter to the N. C. Dally News.

The interpellations.

Peking, Dec. 9. answered the interpellation ad dressed to it by Members of Parliament. It is understood, however, that it is intended to point out to Members that it requires a formal meeting of either tion and that the Government stration in Bow. does not feel called upon to answer questions addressed to it by individual Members. In the absence of a quorum in either House of course, regular interpellations are impossible. — N. C. DailyNews Correspondent.

Loans and Their Limitation.

Peking, Dec. 9. It is now "reported that £6,000,000 of the Industrial Bank loan will be utilized for the reconstruction of Hankow instead of for the construction of the morning. Mr Eldon Potter asked Wuchang-Hankow bridge, while for a judgment to be set aside. the portion intended for the construction of Pukow port and settlement will remain unaltered. the launch of a new Japanese This arrangement, apparently, battleship appear on page: 3 cuts out several preliminary con. to-day. that tracts for the reconstruction of

Negotiations in regard to sailed on Sunday and a report as the second Quintuple loan con- appears to-day. not look for any definite result prior to April.

It is understood that the The Ministry of the Navy has Chinese Government has made a petitioned the Cabinet, urging it new arrangement regarding the not to issue permits to operate oil old £4,000,000 Austrian loan. properties which should be Gov- a portion of which will be floated

possibility that oil will be requir- Numerous other loan schemes ed as fuel for the navy.-Reuter are affoat. The Premier, Heining Curios - G. P. Lammert's Sale Hailing, however, appears deter- Rooms-2.45 p.m. mined not to imperil a further The New Loan.

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| Qui: taple loan by contracting. The representatives of the more loans upon unfavourable Carios-G. P. Lammert's Sale Quintuple Group and the Chinese terms, but numerous loan agents Rooms-2.45 p.m.

Daily News.

NEWS FOR BUSY MEN.

Mr. Lloyd George's son is now.

A number of strikers at Leeds

defeated at Tampico.

Suffragists have burned South: ern Leigh Mansion, Bristol.

The battle cruiser Tiger has been launched at Olydebank. In their match with South

Volcanic oruptions on Ambrym Island. New Hebrides, have caus-

Mr. Martin Sutton, senior partner in the famous firm of Sutton and Soes, seedsmen, is dead.

Greece with great ceremony. It is stated that Vice President

Lord Desborough. President of the Imperal Airfleet Committee. appeals for a public subscription

General Villa has assumed the role of Dictator at Chihushua. commanding foreign Consult to obey rebel orders.

Russia's proposal for the with

and Chinese alike. Suffragists have burned a tim-The Government has not yet ber-yard at Devonport, the damage being variously estimated be-

> Several men, women and children were thrown down and slightly. injured by mounted police while

"Our Contemporaries" will be

and Commercial news on page 9. The extradition case was Continued this afternoon at the

General news and a report of

TO-DAY. Victoria Theatre, 9.15 p.m. Bijon Scenic Theatre, 9.15 p.m. TO-MORROW. Victoria Theatre 9.15 p.m.

Bijou Theatre 9.15 p.m.

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Sale of Antique China and

Friday, December 19. ference on the 15th instant. Chou There are at present thirty-six Sale of Toys and Dolls G. P.

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The Mexican rebels have been

Africa, M.C.C. scored 419 runs for seven wickets.

ed great destruction.

A message from Canea states that Crete has been annexed to

Li came to Peking against his will and is being forced to re-

of £10,000.

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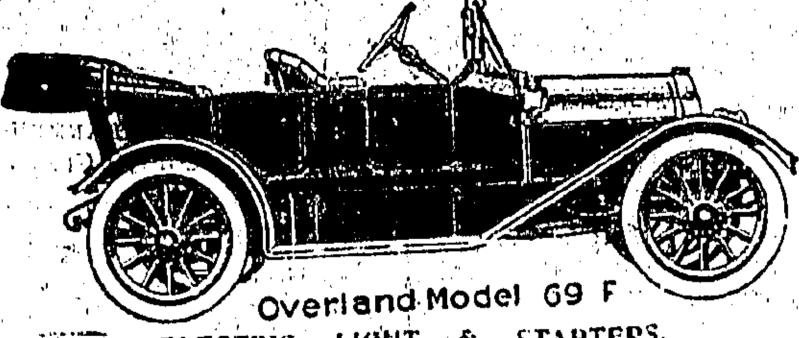
Police Court. At the Supreme Court this

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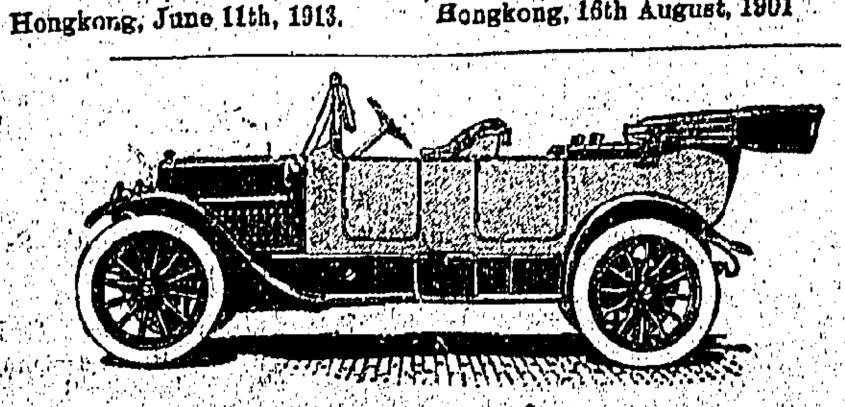
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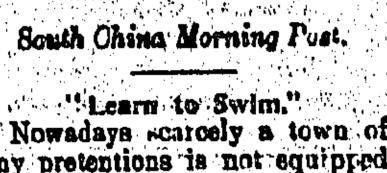
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Daily Press

The Rent Problem. Further communications which have reached us concerning the matter of high rentals in Hongkong, referred to in a letter and the leading article we published esterday, induce us to further -laborate the subject. O e question raised is: 'Are the landlords as rapacious as they are represented? There are, of course, landlords and landlords, here in Hongkong as everywhere else. There are houses in Hongkong whose rents have been doubled within the past three years; there are many others whose rente have been raised gradually for very good reasons. As to the first class of landlords, we explained some time ago how property alues were inflated in Hong kong. Owing to the disturbed conditions in Chinase efugees have flocked into the Colony and large numbers of hem have apparently remained. Consequently the pressure on the existing house accommodation has been very great indeed, and Chinese landlords who, by the way, own probably nine-tenths of the house property in Hongkong -have regarded it as a harvest time. Under this pressure of demand they had little difficulty in obtaining very much higher rents. Then came along the Chinese brokers in search of house property for wealthy Chinese from the mainland, and in the last few years, sales of property at extraordinarily high

China Mail,

humerous indeed.

figures must have been very

President Yuan Shih-kai. Instead of being the selfish ictator that he is erroneously stated to be in certain quarters, President Yuan has proved himself to be an adroit and able statesman who has acted wisely and well for the benefit of his fellow countrymen at a time in their country's welfare that called for the utmost care and prudence. If he had done nothing else than curb the bellicose attitude and the immature policy of such men as revolutions frequently dress with a little brief authority he would be thoroughly deserving of his country's gratitude. That he did when he overturned the Kuo Ming Tang when it ceased to fulfil its proper functions; and he has done more by setting Ohina upon a course that will ultinwately/lead her to a much higherstate of civilization than she has ever before known. In such a position as he occupies, fraught 88 it is with innumerable difficulties, he has kept to the path that alone can lead the position to which she has a right to aspire. We therefore repeat that on an impartial consideration of President Yuan's actions he is infinitely more deserving of the title of disinterested Patriot than of the word Dictator when applied to him as it has absurdly during the past few months.

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GINERAL NEWS.

Mayor as Alleged Burgiar.

Herr B nhard Haussmann, Mayor of Jurmen, in Pomerania. robbing the tremury of the town of Unbigan, in the Province of B xony. The burglary was committed in 1906, but the matter cruiser Kirishima, which is the all the other cases pis the or rewas never cleared up. The largest viscol that has ever been volvers were used. In cortain mayor was: recently suspended launched from this yard. Invita- respects the crime differs from from office on a charge of sending tions had been issued to 5,000 anchymqua letters of a libellous character.

Fatal Wedding Feast.

thirty-two others have been poisoned, ten of them being in serious condition, as a result, it is business firms, the principals of present theory is that it was rebelieved, of esting from a dish of the G vernment and Mission cream served at a breakfast at schools, and the captain and number. Cholet, in the north-west of France, officers of the Austrian crusier given in honour of the welding of two brothers ramed Pointer and two sisters named Mallet. Trere Prince Kunin prived, salute between Avenue Paul Brunat and were over fifty people at the break were fired from the Kaiserin the Great Western Road, was fast, and those who did not cat Elisabeth and the Japaneso buthe oream have not been effected. | the hip II zen

Reform of the Lords.

The Press Association says The Committee of the Cabinet ter of the Navy read a statement which, under the chairmanship relative to the construction of the of the Lord Chancellor, has been examining the subject of reform of the House of Lords has, it is of the Dockyard, cut the cord understood, concluded its work Its scheme for the substitution of within a few minutes the bu an elected Second Chamber for the present hereditury House will, no doubt, be discussed by the whole Cabinet at these meetings with a view to the introduction the band, they die levely march of a Bill in the coming session. Simultancousty han lelapping and though bereath it was a robe of The reassembling of Parliament is expected to take place in the second week in February.

Box Hill for the Nation.

The Times announces that M Leopold Salomons, of Norbury Park, Daking, has bought and presented Box Hill to the nation. Mr Salemons, who is a governor of the Royal Agricultural Society and a member of the council of the Shire Horse Society, is one of the most successful breeders of shire borses in the south of England. The area saved to the public and verted in the Nuticual Trust covers 235 acres and stretches in an unbroken line from Burford Bridge to Upper B x Ilill Farm. It embraces "the long green reller of the Japanese men-of-war. down" noross which George Meredith so often gazed from his study windows.

A Hard Winter.

a severe winter at Home. It has prosided, and in proposing been observed that the average t ast of "The Imperial Navy temperature during the past four expressed gratitude for or five years has been above the a tendance of Prince Kanin normal, and it is regarded as the coremony and also for tolerably certain that there will assistance given by the Naval be a spell of hard lrosty weather authorities, especially the officers other, and this would account to restero the balance. Sir Oliver who had supervised the construct Lodge is one of those who warns tion. Mr Shiets referred to the us. There is unanimity of the great progress of Japan in naval. portents, he claime, in support of shipbuilding vessels of equal size his belief that we are in for hard to the Kirishima having only weather ere the springtime comes. been launched in England and succession of mild winters in re- to the Kirishima had recently cent years, and the warmth of been launched at Yokosuka and last autumn and summer. Sir now the Mitsu Bishi Dockyard Oliver's reading of the signs had the h nour of having successsuggests that the weather will be fully built a great man-of-war. clear as well as cold.

Climb of 23,400 Feet.

The members of the Italian ex- cruiser, i.e., a vessel possessing pedition to the Himalayas, who in some degree the defensive scaled the virgin peak Kun, armour and striking power of 23,400ft, high, are now nearing battleship combined with home, with the exception of great steed of an up-to-da Doctor Mario Pincenza, head of cruiser. Her length is 704 feet the party, who has undertaken a breadth, 92 feet; draught, 27 long caravan journey across India feet 6 inches; and displacement, certain phases in the police adand Persia. Latters received at 27,500 tons. The keel was laid Turin by the families of the ex- down on March 17, and plorers narrate the ascent of Kun. will be completed for sea in April, This occupied twenty-seven days. 1915. Her principal armament existing between the Hongkong The party traversed six valleys, will consist of eight 14-irch gons. and crossed the remarkable Drun- The engines, which drung Glacier, twenty-two miles be made at the Mittu Bishi to-day. There now exists, how-long. They explored practically Engine Works. Nagasaki, ever, an understanding between the whole of the unknown region will be four Parson's turbordering the scene of the Duke bines, one of high and one of low of the Abruzzi's exploits. Very pressure being on either side of bad weather and extraordinarily the ship, the post and star board heavy enowetorms were experipairs being separated by bulk-enced while on the roof of the heads. Four propellers, each of world." The explorers suffered three blades, will be fitted. Thirtyterribly through the difficulty in hix boilers of Yarrow type, in five breathing, and the famous Alpine Loiler rooms, will be installed, ed both in Hongkong and Canton. guide, Savoye, fell seriously, ill. capable of supplying pressure of Both Governments working in-The party, which numbers several 220 lb. per square inch to the noted scientists, were hard at turbines under ordinary condiwork in this high region for four tions. Coal and oil fuel will be months, says the Chronicle Milan consumed. The contract speed correspondent, and they are bring- is 28 knots. ing home the largest and most. The main armament is to be I one of the big Variety of Himalayas.

Japanese navy.

Launch of the Battle Cruiser Kirishima.

On Monday, the let instant, Knigerin Elisabeth.

Governor Rinoiye and Feveral naval officers were received by the Prince, after which the Minisvessel and the day's ceremony he wont to sleep again. Mr. Shiota, General Manager of which released the vessel was seen to 13 moving on the ways. As the increment began a bottle of changagno was dashed age. His clothes were common; gain t the side of the vessel and Le wore a long gown such as cheering began among the people wilk, the latter was old and did near the vessel and was quickly not suggest that the outer gartaken by the crowds on the hills ment had been adopted as anyabove. On the Nagasaki shore thing in the nature of a disguise. banzai were shouted from Obato The only cutstanding feature to Megami, while the Dockyard in regard to the disposal of the heoters and syrens of the ship man's clothing was that his waistping in harbour joined in the belt had been wrapped round his

uge vessel taking the water as menth. gracefully as a yacht might have ne and stopping within distance of short stole. Just before the bw d p; el lifet; the water a large cone out through the top of the I all sussended from a miniature low prit opened, releasing a tentrated the back. hower of confetti and several over in accordance with the both from the front and the back cust m observed at launches

After the ceremony, the guesis proceeded to the drawing loft upon his fellows, be correct; this where 1,000 prople ast down a cold luncheon. Mr. Shiofs. Weather experts are predicting general man ger of the dockyard He bases his forecast on the the United States. A sistership He congratulated the Imperial Navy on its growth in rower,

The Kirishima is to be a battle-

important collection of scientific fitted so that four gune may be Painty dishes at the ALEXANmaterial jet collected in the fired shead and astern and the DRA CAFE is Sure to tempt whole eight in broadsides.

SHANGHAI REIGN OF TERROR.

Murder in French Concession:

Early zesterday morning, says has been arrested on a charge of there was launched at the Mildu the N. C. Daily Ne ve of 9th inst., Bishi Dockyard and Engine another murder was committed Wurks, Nagasaki, the battle- Shanghai, and as in practically those of the pusceding weeks, for people, and among these present the hour at which it took place, was II I. H. Prince Kanin, at ties in the whole affair stamp it r pres neative of His Majosty the anathing apart from the political Eight people have died and Emperor, the foreign Contuls, assassinations which have been representatives of the leading among the late tragedies. The venge by the member of a gang of robbers upon one of their

About 4 a.m. a foreign resident When in Avenue Paulun, which tons awakened by the firing of four shots. He waited to hear if anything further was to happen, but there was no commotion in the neighbourhood, the dogs in the vicinity, ever ready to signal any disturbance, remained silent, and thinking no more of the affair,

At daylight the re-son of the four shots was shown. On the ford not far from the house a Chinese was found lying, a man of about middle height, and aprarently about thirty years of unafoos are wont to use, and al

head, partially covering his face, The launch was perfect, the in fact from his eyes to his

> Four shots had bren heard. The victim of the murder showed two wounds. One bullet had entered just below the chin and skull, while the second bullet had

The fact that he had been shot would be nonenal, but if the theory that he was one of a gang of robbers who had gone back is easily accounted for. It is a custom of Ulinese criminals, when taking solemn vengeance upon a member of a band, for cach men to take his share in doing him to drath. Thus the men might have stood in different ulaces and fired at him, almost a nt the same time, or one after the 12 for the wounds.

Lessons from Hongkong. Commenting on the arm smuggling evil, the N. C. Daily News

Although the difference in local conditions makes it difficult to draw comparisons between methods taken to check crime in one place and another, it is interesting to see what is done in Hongkong, especially in respect of croperation between foreign and Chinese administrations,

In dealing with such a subject. it is well to remember, first of all, that Hongkong and Shanghai are on an entirely different footing to each other. Hongkong, of course, is a British Crown Colony, while the Settlement does not come under British law. But there are ministration of Hongkong and Sbanghai which bear a similarity.

It may be said that the relations Government and that of Canton have not always been as they are the two Governments in certain cases which tends to make the detection of crime a much more simple matter than it otherwise would be

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CHINA'S GILDED YOUTHS.

It was, we believe, Mr. T. P. O'Connor who once remarked that !! seven years' penal servitude. the man who wishes to get a real insight into life should visit a police court. That is true in a limited degree. The perplexities and tragedies of life are laid bore in the Police Court; the happier and more pleasing side of it does not appear. Yesterday, a case was tried before Mr. Hazeland which contained the essence not of one tragedy but of many; which evidenced indeed, a new and re- a trograde movement amongst the younger Chinese. The case was that of an elderly hawker who was charged with being without a licence and who pleaded that he had worked hard when he was younger. A Police Inspector remarked on the fact that the rising generation of Chinese did not now show the same care for parents that formerly existed; and the magistrate said that they were now too fond of green socks and fancy ties.

No one who has watched the unrest amongst the younger Chinese of recent years can deny the truth of this charge. Whatever were the faults of the Chinese in the old days want of filial respect and love was not one of them. Ancestors were (and still are) worshipped. Parents, especially if they had reached old age, were revered. But the new spirit of what is termed progress seems, in some degree, to have killed the old characteristic which other people, who looked on, found altogether admirable. Love of parents has given way to love of dress. When a boy starts to ape his master—or even to outdo him in magnificence of its death by a full while trying to attire; and we have seen this—the pendulum has swung too far the oatch a bird on the ledge of a wrong way. Progress is not to be secured by imitating costly externals but by copying the best of thoughts and feelings beneath predatory step by official parsitive exhibition as an advertising of the description as a description as a description as advertising of the description as a description as a description as a description a that beats beneath it, and that is what the younger generation of collections of a speech in which Chinese has yet to learn.

It is a curious thing that the imitative man seldom imitates the for cutting down the allowance best in his model. He copies the other's mannerisms rather than of the Central Telegraph Office one month. his manners, his peculiarities rather than his normalities, mistaking cat, which he found down in the these for the real man, That is what young China is doing. In its Civil List for eighteen-pence a anxiety to make progress along Western lines it seems too ready to snoe was promptly reduced, and it cast away the best of its own tried civilisation for much of the worst, was intimated to the cat that he of another. Perhaps that was inevitable, but surely not so inevit- | would be expected to supply the able that it cannot be arrested before real harm is done. It will be deficit in he larder from the rate an evil day for China if parental respect becomes a negligible pitality. This, said Mr. Buxton, quantity, for then there can be no true patriotiem. They two things in order to show that they were are the same in spirit, and patriotism was nover more wanted in | "a Government of efficiency and Ohina than it is at present.

What Next?

The trend of recent fushions among women has repared our be no surprise, therefore, that the LAUGH AT HAS ACHIEVED latest aloreto, miniting of PHILOSOPHY ALL HIS OWN." course from l'aris, is in the form of coloured hair. We learn that appeared in the leading Parisian theatres on the leads of would-be French Mail. Left per leaders of acciety, much to the horror or those who favor Siberian Mail.—Arrived per s s. orthodox fashions. We all knew the craze, some time back, by which women endeavoured to match their shoes and their clothes, and we also know now of the smart vouths whose ore ambilion in life is to possess socks and ties with colours whic's harmonice. But the luly with the coloured locks is quite a new de velopment.

Horrid Possibilities. It appears that this terrible freak line been inspired by the Four blankers valued at 38 Balken War, which has for the have been stolen from Captain moment por ularised Bulgarian Haggar's orderly at Kowloon. eccentric wigh have as their excuse the point that the tint of the borrowed locks matches that of his two-days sale of valuable antheir dresses. But even that tique china and curios to-morexcuse, we hope, is hardly strong row at 2.45 p.m. at his sales of the plaintiff for \$4,503.73, and enough to lead to the probability rooms. of the world of fashion yielding to the crude suggestien of blue or green hair. If it is, we shall begin to look out for some such development as the powlering of faces in harmony with the vivid wig. Then the dear indies would We are hoping for the best. But

RELEASED TO-DAY.

Conviction of Three Years ago Recalled.

We understand that, after serv. of \$32. ing less than three years, on a sentence of seven years' imprisonment, John Grant, who was for- ed of having stolen fur to the special procedure, peculiar merly in the P. W. D. as an engineer, was this morning released customer who had left it with a and leaves for Home to-day.

The trial of Grant took place on January 4, 1911, before Sir Francis Piggott and a special Assistant Superintendent of Pri jury, the charge being :-- (1.) sons is due to arrive in Hong-Having in his possession a cheque kong from Home on or about the belonging to Kenrick Roberty 28th or 29th inst. and stolen outside the Colony; (2), Having forged the same Having obtained by this means to Hongkong at 8.45 a.m. IO.U., S. for \$260 signed by E. There were other charges, but they were not proceeded with.

-Prisoner was found guility on all counts, and was sentenced

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

At the Police Court, yesterday, Chinese was charged with attempting suicide, by Inspector Gerrard. The inspector informed the Court that the defendant had fallia into bad company and had been gambling. He had stolen \$40_from his mother and when he was repreached he attempted suicide by stabbing himself.

The defendant was allowed to go, on his parents promiting to look after him.

SCOTLAND YARD CAT

Government's Parsimony.

The Scotland Yard cat Thomas Tom" for short), which has met hours' stocks. sixtu-torey window, was not, it is Mr. Sydney Buxton, as Postmaster-General, took credit to himself week, " for feeding." The allow-600nomy.

DAY BY DAY.

for I line-t anything. There need when TO LAUGH, AND WHAT TO

.The Mails,

Lecat at 6 a.m. to-day.

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To-night's Dance.

China. Vice-Admiral Jerram is for leave to serve notice of the giving a dance on H.M.S. Mino- writ of summons out of jurisdictaur to-night.

Late Captain Jesus. A Mass will be said to-morrow morning at 7.30 at the Roman Catholic Cathedral for the soul of the late Capt. J. F. X. de Jeanof the Kwong Chow Wan.

Theft & Clothing. A Chiness Customs Officer living at 3 Victoria View. Kowloon reports the theft of clothing from the servants quarters to the value

Absconding Foki. An absconding fold is suspectvalue of \$35 belonging to a tailor to make up.

New Official. We understand that the new

Additional Ferry. Business plople in Knowloop cheque drawn on the name of E. much appreciate the foresight of Roberts; (3.), Having utlered the the "Star" Ferry Co. Ltd. in cheque for payment of \$260; (4:) putting on a ferry from Kowloon

Jubilee Road Murder, A further errest had been made in connection with the Jubilee Road murder. The prisoner sppeared this morning before M J. R. Wood and was remanded until Tuesday next.

Burglary at Kowloon, A burgiary took place yesterday

at about 10 p.m. at 4 Minden Villas, Kowloon . It is thought that the burglars broke into the house through the bath room window at the top of the coolie

Returned. Mrs V. H. Copley Moyle and child returned to the Colony on the P: & O. se. Borneo, from home. Mr and Mrs T. O'Sullivan returned to the Colony from leave Sullivan is usher at the Supreme

Stolen Jacket. A men who was caught, pawn ing a jacket by the police at Wes Point was found afterwards have stolen the article st Wan chai. He was arrested and to day Mr Hozeland at the Police Court sentenced him to month's hard labour and four

Indecent Pictures. trade in olives and other Chinese obtained judgment and still has sequent proceedings. There is an fendant only sole is as agent for line. This morning at the Police action on the minutes, it shall be or knowledge of the act according plaintiffs had called upon him to Court he was charged before Mr lawful to do so." That section to the section. pictures and sent to prison for

Latest Advertisements.

spirits on the 20th inst. Page 5. peculier to Hongkong, and is a volution,

INTERESTING

to be Set Aside.

wigs, blue, rose and green, have Siberian Mail. Left per e.s. P.ul morning, Sir William Rees Davies perty in Hongkong, is to say sailed on Sunday. The course K.O., Chief Justice, sitting in the cause of action arises in was :- Lama Island, starboard. Original Jurisdiction, heard an Hongkong, and the defendant is The race was sailed in a good Australienat k. 15 p.m. to-day. application in the case of Kwong property in Hongkong and you Yacht Olub at 10 a.m. Wo-cheang, plaintiff, against formally attach his property. If The following yachts started: ChauKa-heung, in which Mr. you prove your case you satisfy La Cigale, Cutter, Mesere. Eldon Potter, on behalf of the the Judge of the debt, although Meyer and Backhouse; Iris, cutlatter, asked that the judgment of the man is outside jurisdiction ter, Officers of the Taman; April 13,1913, in which the de and very possibly, does not know Oenone, Chinese rig. H. E. Hon. tendant was ordered to pay the a little bit about the action. I Claud Severnand Major Palmer; plaintiff the sum of \$4,503.73, think in this case, as a matter of Miranda, Chinese rig, Mr. G. K. and c sts to be taxed, to be set fact, it must be admitted, no action, and for leave to defend tiff if you Lordship makes the tiff if you Lordship makes the tiff if you Lordship makes the chinese rig, Mr. A. Denison; the said indoment he set aside order I sek for, except that the Scotengden. Chinese rig. Mr. the said-judgment be set aside, payment of the debt, if in fact D. K. Blair; Flore, Chinese or the said action retried, that all proceedings therein be stayed.

R. A. Harding,

plication, said this man was dollars while the whole amount asking for the judgment in favour costs, to be set saide and asking for a retrial of the action and leave In connection with the visit of to defend the same. The plainthe Governor General of Indo-Itiffs in this case originally applied

> His Lordship: They got leave to serve notice of the writ out of jurisdiction 2.

Mr. Potter: - Yes, but that i historical. I do not think any point arises on that The next step of importance is that the plaintiffs then applied for a writ of foreign attachment under the eproial provisions of the act.

His Lordship: -After?

Mr. Potter replied in the affirmative, and said that it was a Hongkong by which after a writ was issued, if the cause of action was within jurisdiction and the defendant had property within jurisdiction, be could apply for a writ of fcreign attachment if the defendant was out of jurisdiction. He did not think, as a matter of fact, the plaintiffs in this case could satisfy the first necessary condition under Section 453, Lecause so far as he could see the action did not arise within jurisdiction at all.

His Lordshil: -- What happened in this case?

issued and the plaintiffs got a writ of foreign attachment which meant that the defendant's property was attached, which was worth twenty thousand dollars That of course the plaintiffs were entitled to do, assuming atheir action arose within jurisdiction. They subsequently brought the case before his Lordship, formally, and obtained attachment."

their case in Court?

Hozeland with exhibiting indecent is specially provided to cover the The case was adjourned sine die, o se of a defendant who has had for the amplification of certain no notice of the action against allidavita. him, therefore judgment is given An additional train will leave by default. "I will aubmit, my Kowloon at 7,30 a.m. from the Lord, that it is a section which Demand for Confucianism in 22ud inst. until faither notice, certainly should be brought into the return train leaving Taipo operation in this Court in every at 8.00 p.m.—Page 5.

Alr F. E. Hall has arranged fairly brought into operation and demanded as Chairman of the cd that his brother a louid pay a smoother attractive boxing tourns—especially where no hardship will Confucian Society that President certain amount insie d of allow-

procedure which is likely to lead APPLICATION. to the greatest hardship upon an absent defendant, if in fact, they have not had full knowledge Mr. Potter Asks for Judgment of the proceedings in Hongkong Because under this procedure all you bave to do, after you At the Suprem Cout; this issue a writ, if he has pro- Club's second cruiser rice was of this claim plus the cost is only

about five thousand dollars odd. Mr Potter: - Approximately six thousand, the full amount plaimed and everything.

under your Lordship's orders next boat to sound was Durothy some months ago.

it at ten thousand. Mr Potter: I am willing to

take it at that. They have property of ten thousand dollars to attach for a debt of five thousand. They have ample security. my Lord, and it is fair to say the only hardship that can accrue to them or fall upon them if your that the actual realisation of their debt will be postponed for some space of time. The amount they got actual judgment for \$4,503.73 and \$909 75,412, the full amount of the debt an lossts. There is no question about him getting his money if, in fact, that money is due to him. This is landed specie in Hongkong; it is there anyone can attach it.

llis Lordship; -Why did ou allow this judgment to go on?

whole of this debt, the fac-Mr. Potter said a writ was that he is now making this application for a retrial and knowing the costs of that retrial in itself does a good leal to show Oenon that he is honest when he sug-1 gests, as he does through his Scipe solicitor, he had no knowledge of Dorothy this action at all. Because it seems to me it would be absurd for him to ask your Lordship for this trial, if in fact he owed the money, because he would have His Lord-hip :- Farmally prove everything to lose and nothing to gain. If a man had no proper-Mr Potter - Yes, proved the ty or had unsubstantial property debt. We say we had no notice making the same effort because of application at all. They he might not gain but he could formally proved their, debt and not lose, it would be different, but to bave the order set aside, the I do not think your Lo-dehip the defendant. adgment, and for a retrial of the would have any doubt at all Mr. J. H. Gardiner represented action and leave to defend the that he would grant a rehearing the complainant and Mr. same, and if it appears to the of this case. I sulm't that this Steavenson, of Mesers Descon, Court that the defendant had not is a fortiori case where a man Looker, Deacon and Harston, known of or had knowledge of is resident in a foreign country, defended. the case and could not reasonably where there is ample security not |. The defendant said: that the have made an application to the only to satisfy the cost of any claim goods belonged to his brother A Chinese who purports to Court at the time plaintiff but also the costs of any sub who had gone to Australia. Do-

ment for Christmas Eve. Page 5. be inflicted on the plaint ifs, se Yuan Shih-k'ai shill insert the ing the case to come into Court Mr. G. P. Lammert is selling a in this case, because this pro- classics into the objects taught in that was his suggestion only; big assortment of wines and codore of foreign attachment is the schools as Defore the re- 1 he case had not concluded

YACHTING.

Royal Hongko g Yacht Club's Second Cruiser Race.

The Royal Hongkong Yacht

the debt is due them—and we say rig, Commodore Anstruther, R.N. it is not—will be a little delayed The yachts had a run down the Mr. Potter was instructed by pending the hearing of this action. harbour mostly with spinnakers Mr. Heywood (Mr. L. D'Almada); But no other hardship can accrue set parsing through the Sniphur and Mr. F. C. Jenkin, for the to them because they have ample Channel at about 10 40. They plaintiff, was instructed by Mr. security in the shape of the pro- then rau into the usual calm perty attached. I am instructed south of Mount Davis locally Mr. Potter, in opening his ap- it is worth twenty thousand known as the sea of Saragossa. It took about half an hour to get cut of this calm. The Mirands. Oenone and Snipe getting off His Lordship:—Five thousand? with a long lead, rounding the eastern point of Lamma Island at about 12 oclook, only about two minutes between first and third boats. The wind here increased in His Lordship:—It is attached. strength and the boats were hard to Mr Potter: Yes it is attached seer with a beam wind. The about aquarter of an hour after the Mr Jenkin: The agent values first boat. Then came Logtongden some 5 minutes later and La Oigale two or three minutes; behind her, Flore and Irie having a fight for last place. After rounding the south-east point the wind got very violent and reefs were taken in by all the Chinese rigged boats. Here several misfortunes: courred. The Miranda had a Lordship grants the application, is stay give way, the Snire sprung per met, and the Fcottenden broke wo bamboos of her mainsail. The sea, wind being against, tide, was rather violent and it was a risky thing to jibe, the only one daing so being Scotengden. and she broke her bambaos: by doing so. After clearing the Island the wind and sea both moderated considerally and sail was increased again on all boats. Oenone and Dorothy went through the Sulphur channel and no doubt gained a little by doing so. The rest went outside Green Island. Mr Potter: Because we had After an uneventful beat up the no knowledge of it. I think the harbour the leading boats crossed fact that this man has ample pro- he line as follows: perty in this Colony to satisfy the

3.17. 0 3.17. 0 3 3.28.42 3.26.42 4. 3.35.58 2.58.58 1 La Cigale 4.12.15 5. 0.15 5 No other boats crossed the line:

before 5 o'clock.

ONLY AN AGENT.

Lawyer's Clerk Sued for

In the Summary Court, this got judgment." These proceed- here is a case of a man who con- morning, the hearing was continings, my Lord, are taken under not gain anything unless he used by Mr. Justice Comperty in on the P. & O. s.s. Borneo. Mr Fection 476 of the code. It reads doesn't owe the money, but may which Yee Sing and Company. as follows "The defendant may at lose not only what he was los Post Office Buildings, sued JA: any time within twelve months under your Lordship's judgment, Chue, a clerk in the employ of after that judgment, notwith but a considerable amount more Messrs Deacon, Looker. Deacon, standing the property or any part in costs. All that goes to show and Harston, for the spin of thereof may have been sold, apply the man must be bone fide. II \$1,195,38, the price of goods sold to the Court on notice of motion, this was a judgment by default, and delivered by the plaintiffs to

see if there had bean any remitauces from his brother.

Mr. Gardiner asked the defendant if he had not tried to arrange a compromise before that action came into l'Oourt ?

Defendant said he tried to ar range a compremise, but he did

Apout Mo Mout to bress

THE KWONG YIK BANK

A Stormy Croditor. Meeting.

A meeting I the meditors of the Kwong Yik Bink nr Company was held at the Chinese Ch mbor of C mmerce, Sin tapore, nu D conber 6, but despite the fact that the situation was discussed For close on two hours, no deficite line of future action was agreed upon, and it was decided to invite the creditors to elect representatives to confer with the Directors at a later meeting.

Dr. Lim Boon keng presided over very noisy proceedings, there being many interruptions by the large crowd of working class Chinese, amalia small tradesmen. coolies, cto., who represent the majority of the Bank's creditors. The addresses of the European gentlemon with have had the tisk of ascertaining the ex ct position of the concern had to be translated into Chinese which considerably lengthened the proceedings.

The first speaker was Mr The two will be better published Charles C. Dunmin who has been logether. in charge of the Bink's affirs since it suspended payment. Mr and Delay, the legal a lvisers to Durman read the following bal- the Company, stated that the anca sheet which had l. n pre pared by him:-

Ltd. S:stement of affiles as at 000, conditional on Chivese 20th November 1913

Linbilitier. Due to Shigarore Banks.

On Current Accounts ... Interest to date (Entimite)...

Including interest

Interest to date (Estimated)

Bilance Down :-Surplus of face value of sereis

over liabilities... 1,328,737.08 \$5,416,468 60

Asrets. Due by Signapore 14 980.63 Bunks ... Dae on Current Accounts including

interest to date 3,810,696.48

Loans. Premissory Notes taken over by Bank and Credited in current necoupts

Promissory Notes held by Bank at recurity... Other loans, partly

secured ...

Note:—There is an amount due for accrued interest. Investments. Partly paid up shares

at cost, under line to sundry creditors 163,000.00 Cash in hands of the 15,253 40 Receiver "

\$5,410,468 60 Capital: -850 shares of \$1,000 fully paid 850,000 00

Balance Down \$1,328,737.06 the foot of the balance sheet:-I side. Barry, however, resolutely have prepared the above state- declines to scull for less than ment from information supplied £500 a side, although the world's to me, and as far as possible as championship rules empower certained that it is in accordance scullers of the sime country to with the Books. In the past the foull for £200 a side. If Albany's accounts have not been audited, supporters persist in their original such the monthly balance used idea of claiming the champion-ship should Barry not accept discovered errors, which at the within the stipulated period of present time amount to about three months, who will Puddon 635,000. Themassets are all soull when he gots to England? stated at their face value, many

of the debts are unsecured, and

SPECIAL CABLES.

FOREIGN TROOPS IN CHINA.

(Fro.n Our Own Ourrespondent.) Shanghai. Received D c. 10. The Russian proposal for the withdrawal of foreign troops from Northern China is adversely criticised by foreigners and Chinese alike.

The latter point out that Russian goodwill has ample geore I routlet in Montolia.

THE VICE-PRESIDENT IN

IS HE STAYING 'G INST HIS WILL?

(Ffom Our Own Correspondent.) Shanghni, Received Dec. 16 Vice Pre ident Li Yuan-lung is remaining in Poking for the present where his presence will undoubtedly strengthen President Yuan's hand.

Some quarters in l'eking suggest that he went to the capital against his will, and is being forced to remain.

EXTRADITION CASES.

To-day.

Hazeland at the Police Court, ex

tradition proceedings were com-

men od in which the Canton

Government desires the extradi-

tion of Chan Wong, alias Chan

Yun, who is charged with two

murders and hurglary, at Esn

Ohaen in Pok Ho district

of Kwangtung. The offences were

alleged to have hen a mmitted

Mr. P. M. Holgion, Assistant

Mr. Hazeland at the Police

Court this afternoon remanded

formally until to-morrow Chang

THE BASEBALL TOUR.

An Interesting Match in Jaran.

tour lined up as follows:

Gianti

Donlin, c.f.

McGeo, l.f.

Lobert, 3h.

Mr D. H. Lewis of Mest a John-

and Hastings, defended.

treasury of Kwong Tung.

in a raid on the village.

This afternoon before Mr. F. A.

are now preparing a statement

Mr Everett of Messis Sisson Directors had made efforts to raise fresh capital and had approached The Kwong Yik Banking Co. Lok Yew who had offered \$500,merchants being satisfied with affairs. Application had been made through the Chinese Consul t) the Chinese Government for On Loans ... \$200,000.00 nesistance, but no roply had been received The present position was 744,633 23 that, without further assistance, the Directors did not feel they ... 5,000.06 c.uld continue, and they wished the creditors to consider whether son, Stokes and Master, and Mr \$949,633.23 the Bank should be reconstituted Davidson, of Messes Hastings Note.—Banks hold various and, if the latter, in what manuer.

recurities of Promitsory Notes as A good deal of discussion per contra; also mortgages or followed, many of the creditions guarantees given sundry pers ns. laddressing the remainder from Due on Current Accounts. | the platform. Proresitions were put forward and finally after a to date ... \$1,805,246.08 good deal of confusion it was Due to Depositors 1,378,351 23 decided to afford the creditors the opportunity of selecting amongst 54,500.00 themselves representatives to meet the Directors in snother three 1,432,851,33 week's time with a scheme either for the winding-up of the concern or its continuation. - Singapore Free Press.

WORLD'S SCULLING CHAMPIONSHIP.

Paddon to Meet Barry on the Thames.

Jan ca Paddon, the Australian sculler who recently beat Richard Arnst, the world's ex-champion, in a race for the Austrlian chempionship, has lost no time in greeing to a match with E-nest Barry for the world's championwhip. The Colonial's supporters offered to guarantee Barry a match on the Pariamita, but the champion did not accept, and he cabled a reply expressing his willingness to meet Paddon on the Thomes for £500 or £1,000 side. Recently the world's champion received the following cable from Paddon:-

Paddon will row £500, Thames, early September. What will be allowed for expenses?

Burry has replied as follows: Will row Paddon £500 Thames, September. Must rely on friends

for expenses It is pensible that a complicated situation might arise in connection with the world's championship, in view of the fact that W. Albany challenged the champion The following note appeared at to a race for the title and £200 a

in a number of cases the eccurity is of doubtful value or irregular. Sir Havilland de Sa smarez. some general remarks. We un Shanghai about the 20th inst., British colony, and army and arriving Kowloon at 8.45 p.m. deretand that there took the and the Judge procesds to Hong- pavy circles are arranging for the H. P. WINSLOW, Directors by surprise not having kong in the early Tart of January culertainment of the visitors dur-

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To-day's Advertisements.

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BOXING. 3 9 In their match at Shinagawa (Japan) on the 6th instant, the

AT THE CITY HALL, HONGKONG, ON WEDNESDAY, 24TH DECEMBER 1913,

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Doyle 2nd Urawford r.f. Schaefer (H.), 2nd Sky Kerrison, v. Signalman Wilkinson, Merkle lst Daly, 1st Doolan, s.s. Thorpe, r.f. Evans, l.f. Slight, c. Wingo, c. Lightweight: Contest.

White Sox

Weaver B.B.

Benz, p. Wiltse, p. and the result of the game was:-123456780 Giants20(00C302—4 123456789 White Sux

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the Japan Advertiser Bays;

clock-work. Each signal is ex- meet. H.M.S. Newcastle on the actly followed and the umpire's Club ground to-morrow at 5 p.m. decision is obeyed silently. It is is as follows: P. H. Cobb; A. this system of arbitration that the Hamilton and M. L. Railton; C. ball-players of the country must L. Cookes, W. B. Rigden and R. note and develop so that further F. Long; T. C. S. Robson, I. L. games may be averted. The Hinton and N. L. Railton. speed and alacrity of the base stealing too, was a revelation to the Japanese. It was especially interesting to watch the peerless Manager McGraw signalling to his men by his attitude and to see the strict discipline of his players Callahan's men who scemed to work the slick with bet'er results, obtained the victory. The White Sox are now leading in the ceries with one game ahead."

Union Jack in Manife. The Union Jack will fly conepiciously in Manila Bay to-day say the Cablenews American of the 12th inst., for H.M.S. Hamp. ON and from MONDAY Dec., 22nd, 1913, and until further abire, first class cruiser, abditour torpado brat destroyers are due been submitted to them, and they to sit in the appeal court. ing their stay in port.

Stoker Alford, (H.M.S. Hampshire). 8 ROUNDS.

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ROUNDS. Feather weight Contest. Sappor Richards, v. Seaman Taylor, Private Smith, v. Stoker Sullivan, (H.M S. Minotaur). (H.M.S. Minotaur) (D.C.L.I).

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FOOTBALL.

Commenting on this game, the Hongkong meet the Newcastle.

"The teams seem to move like | The Hongkong Club team to

Foreigner's Death at Yokohama. who for eighteen years has been "Hongkong Telegraph." profes or of English literature in the Eccond High School, Tokyo.

To-day's Advertisement

KOWLOON CANTON BAILWAY. (British Section). · NOTICE.

notice an additional train will leave Kowloon at 7.30 p.m. for bere this morning from Borneo. Taipo Market calling at Yaumati OHARLES C. DUNMAN. | Sir Havilland de Sau marez, Word was received at the British at 7.35 p.m. Taipo at 7.59 p.m. and Chartered Account int. Ju go of the British Supreme consulate telling of the coming of arriving Taipo Market at 8.04 p.m. The Receiver then addressed Court, left Vencouver for Shang- the five fighting vessels. It is The return train will leave the meeting on the affairs of the hai by the R. M. S. Empress of stated that the cruiser and the Taipo Market at 8.09 p.m. calling bank and made some severe ro- Russia, Lady de Sausmarez being four destroyers will remain in at Taipo at 8.12 p.m., Shatin at marks on the management, and with him. They are due at port until Sanday. Both the 8.26 p.m., Yaumati at 8.38 p.m.

Kowloon, 15th Dec. 1913. [1076]

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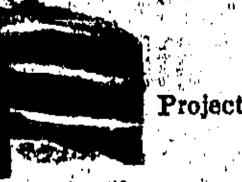
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The Frankfurter Zeitung of November 4 states that German shipping has shared to a large extent in the economic progress of Germany during the past decade, and hand-in-hand with this, shipbuilding yards bave increased their business, a state of things which has continued this year. Many yards have sufficient work on hand to last till 1915, so that there is little room for complaint. On the other hand it should be borne in mind that strikes have delayed construction. It is open to question how far the shipping community is justified in fostering the present activity in ship building. On the one hand, of course, there is a wish to take advantage of the favourable conditions in the shipping trade and also to avoid uncommonly dear charters. But on the other hand it is prob.ble that the falling off in trade generally has not been altogether realized in shipping circles, and this obeck to industrial development may possibly become more une. Shipbuilders are therefore running rome risk, because they will be seriou-ly affected if the present blokward; ten lency in trade becomes more accentuated. The fact should not be overlooked that, in a period of depression. shipping, expecially in the case of the organized steamship lines, is usually hit later than other branches of trade trade, so that Passengers purchasing Tians Pacific Return tickets have the option of the present relatively satisfactory hardly a reliable criterion for the future. The fact that shippers to trade as a result of the opening of the Panama Canal must naturally be taken into account.

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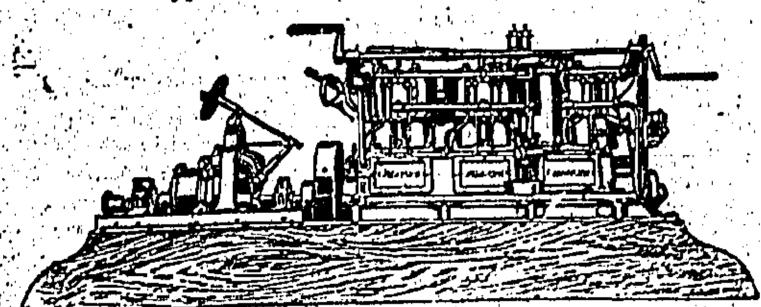
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The C.P.R. s.s. EMPRESS OF RUSSIA on the 13th instant, 8 p.m., was 1230 mlles from Yokohama, is due at Yokohama on the 16th instant, and leaves Yokohama on the 17th instant, at 2 p.m.

The C. P. R. s.s. EMPRESS OF ASIA left Yokohama on the 12th inst., between 2 and 4 p.m.

The C. P. R. a.s. EMPRESS OF INDI arrived Vancouver on the 11th instant, between 2 and 4 p.m.

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AMERICAN MAIL.

The a.s. CHINA sailed from Yokohama Friday 12th instant, at noon for Hong-kong, via Maulla. The United States mails have been transferred to to Nippon Yused Kaisha's ss. KAGA MARU which is scheduled to arrive at Hongkong on the 21st instant.

The s.s. SIBERIA will be despatched from Hongkong for San Francisco on Wednesday, July 17th, at 1 p.m., instant, of Tuesday at 1 p.m. as previously advised.

GERMAN MAIL.

The I.G.M. s.s. YOROK which left here on the 10th instant, arrived at Singapore on the 14th instant, at 1 p.m.

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The N. Y. K. s.s. KITANO MARU Totori Maru, Japanese s.s. 5,915, A. (Enropean Line.) left London for this port via ports on the 22nd ult., and is expected here on the Sist December. Erviken, Norwegian s.s. 1,544, Angensen,

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The Swedish East Asiatio Co. s s.s. Siberia CEYLON left Port Said on the 21st

November, and |s expected to arrive here.

The American and Manchurlan Line B.R. KANDAHAR left New York on the

The I.O.B. N. L. YATSHING from Singapore is due at Hongkong on the

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The S.L. s.s. DEN OF GLAMIS from Seattle is due at Hongkong on the 28th

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The Danish s.s. TRANQUEBAR left

Port Said on the 5th inst., and may be

expected here on or about the Sist of

The P. & O. s.s. BORNEO left Singapore

The Ben Line s.s. BENLAWERS from

Autwerp, Middleabro London left Singa-

pere for this port on the 11th instant, and

may be expected to arrive here on or about

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The Mogul Line s.s. GHAZEE from

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Cheongshing, Br. s.s. 1.256, V. McC

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haiwei 21st November, Gen .--

November-Bangkok 20th Nov.,

Rice.-Jardine, Matheson & Co.

Maru, Japanese s.s. 847, S.

Takushige, 3rd Dec.—Tamsul via

Amoy Swatow 80th Nov., Gen .--

December Shanghai 29th Nov.,

December Singapore 27th Nov.,

Bingapore 27th November, Gen.
-N. Y. K.

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son, 3rd December-Shanghai

5th December-Baigon 29th Dec.,

5th instant—Singapore 30th inst. General—G. L. & Co.

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7th Instant-Shanghai General-

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30th Nov., General-B. & S.

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inst.-Manila; 9th Gen. B. & 8.

Hongay, 9th inst.Coal-Slemssen

instant-Sydney, 19th ult., Gen.

inst .- Moji, 6th inst. Gen -J. M.

Singapore 5th inst. Gen.-J. F.

--- Bangkok, 30th ult. Rlos---A.

13th inst .-- Swatow, 12th inst.

12th inst.--Singapore, 7th Inst

12th instant --- Bangkok oth inst

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instant---Tieutsin, Gen.---C. M.

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instant ... Bangkok, 8th instant,

14th instant --- Bangkok 5th; inst.,

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14th instant—Bangkok 4th inst.

Halphong, 10th instant, General

instant --- Bangkok, 4th instant,

-Hulphong, 14th Instant Gen .--

C. W. Tao, 9th Inst. Coal-B. &

instant -- Moji, 8th Instant, Coal

25th instant -- Pakhol, 14th inst.

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16th inst.—Marseille, 16th ult

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Sunda, Br. s.s. 2,987, O. E. Irving, 9th inst. - Yokohama, Gen.—P. & O Co.

10th frat. - Yokohama, 30th ult

Dilwara; Br. a.s. 3,465, G. N. Ramage

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Kum Chow. Br. s.s. 1,450, J. A. Martin

Harnwasan Maru, Jap. s.s., 2,194,Gillies-ple, 12th instant—Mororan, 30th ult. Coal—M. B. K.

Chinbua, Br. s.s. 1,353, Einlayson, 12th

Georgi, Rus. s.s. 771. Asol, 12th inst.-

Ceylon Maru. Jap. s.s. 3,142; T. Noguchi., 12th instant—Kobe 7th instant,

Eastern, Br. s.s. 2,272, F. Carter, 12th

Monadoock, Br. 2,791, W. Wilson, 11th

Hongwan I Br. s.s. 2,060, 12th inst.

Wakamaku Muru, Jap. s.s. 2,898, U. Aikawa, 18th inst.-Moji, 6th

inst. Coal---M: B. G. K.

Kjeld, Nom. s.s. 910, T. Helieso, 12th inst.

Kaljo Maru, Jap. 1.296, Y. Yamamato,

Koomun, Br. s.s., 9,067, T. H. Collister.

Chinkiang, Br. s.s. 1,229, G. 13th instant

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Heln Kang, Chi. s.s. 1,262, Halkitt, 14th

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Pitsauylok, German s.s. 1,287, W. Tanbert

Daiten Maru, Japan s.s. 2,824, H. Naka-

Samsen, German s.s. 998, Fr. Bucking,

Kaifong Br. as. 987, Mathias, 13th instant

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Hue, French, 710, Cornelinsen, 15th inst.

A. R. Marty. Ichang, Br. s.s. 122.8, Shune. 24th instant

Daiya Maru, Jap. s.s. 1,735, Tokabaki 14th-

Triumph, Ger. s.s. 769, Langschmager,

Lai Bang, Br.s.s. 1,900, E. J. Tadd, 14th

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. The President replied by saying that he was pleased to receive the Credet tisls and that he desired to tender thanks to the Queen of Netherlands for the good sentiments expressed ug rding the Chinese Republic and he would lo all be could to improve the amicable relations between the two countries.

His Excellency was accompanied by Barn Nagell and other members of his staff.

COMMERCIAL.

The Cotton Trade.

Mesers. Richard Haworth & Co.'s weekly circular dated Manobester, November 20, contains : he following:

The Mid-American market has been very quiet during the week pending the publishing of the Government Ginning figures tomorrow. In spite of very favour-All claims must reach us before to receive from your hands the able weather having been experlienced lately for the movement of Angust Sovereign accrediing cotton on the other side, it is very you as his Envoy Extraordinary remarkable and worthy of note and Minister Plenipotentiary to how the interior and port receipts have fallen off: this seems to in-The sincere wishes which dieste a rapid decrease from now His Majesty oberishes for the onwards. It appears certain that welfare, and prosperity of the during the next few weeks the Hongkong, 9th Dec. 1913. [1068 Chinese Republic and the cordial best of the crop will be offered. sentiments which His Majesty for sale in Liverpool, and afterextends to me are deeply appre- wards will not be able to be ciated: I am glad to avail my replaced, as already a good salf of this opportunity to deal of trouble has occurred at the rate. reciprocate them to His Majesly over several shipments-by their turning up much lower than ex-To the relations b tween peoted; offers of high grades from China and Great Britain I attach the other side are only con-

entiary of Great Britain to China, cordial and friendly. It is my section is still very evident and ed to over Yen 140,000,000 almost presented his Letter of Credence hope that the desire which His the various accounts of the equal to the figures for the whole cordial and friendly. It is my section is still very evident and ed to over Yen 140,000,000 almost to President Yuan Shih kai on the Majesty entertains, and which I market do not suggest any of last year. Arrivals of slooks Regular Steamship Service. 4th inst. at 10 a.m. In his ad- share with a full heart to strong increased signs of activity; buy- at the Yokobama market during dress read before the President, then the amicable intercourse ere continue to purchase sparing the ten months under review he said that the ling of Great between the two countries, may ly and the small volume of trade showed an increase of 27,772; at present under discussion is boxes on the figures for the cor-Chinese Republic would prosper Lam pleased to note that Uia unevenly distributed. The dearth responding period of last year, and become a united and strong Majesty Government's desire to of workable inquiry is a but the quantity sold was actually

will on the part of His Majesty's much total weight and in the responding period last year.

markets continue to adopt a wait-To you, M. le Ministre, let me | ing policy, and beyond taking a any that I welcome you heartily. [assive interest in the shaping of You are charged anew by your events on this side, make no for-August Severeign with a mission | ward move in regard to fresh to unite closer the bonds of business; the heavy contracts mu'u il friendship and common entered into some time back at interect which bind the two na- more favourable rates than those tions together, and I, as a warm now ruling, and the large supplies friend, can assure you that in the at present going forward, are performance of this noble mission ample for requirement, and buyyou will always find me willing ers are naturally not disposed to and happy to help you in every negotiate for further quantities

Sir Jordan was accompanied Trade with India is on a very by Mr Alston, Major R bertson small scale and only sorting up and others of the British Legation. buying is mentioned. Demand His Excellency J. F. Bichects from China appears fairly healthy van Blokland, Envoy Extraordin- and transactions in special makes ary and Minister Plenipotentiary of staples have been arranged in of Netberlands to Chin, presented | n few instances; fancy descriphis Credentials to the President tions also continue in request but at 4 p.m. In his address to the delivery frequently stand+ in the way of progress.

Ten Report.

Me ars. Wm. Jas. & Hy. Thompson's weekly circular dated London. November 20, contains the following with reference to the China tea market in London Arrivals: Nore with 3,942 packages and 284 packages in transit; China with 2,355 packages. At public sales 418 packages were offered, all of these were withdrawn. Privately, : A f ir inquiry exists for black leif, up to 6 i. per lb., and a few parcula are reported

to have changed hands. Messra. Lloyd, Matheson and Carritt report regarding China tea:-The market continues to show firmness, and attractive value is still offered to buyers in New Season's black leaf Congous at 51d. to 7d. per lb. In the finer qualities of Ningohows, Keemuns and Ichang, a fair quantity has changed hands at

last week's quotation .

Messrs. Mocatta and Goldsmid's weekly circular dated London. November 21, states that "the silver market has shown decided weakness and with the exception of the 18th instant, when there WAR & recovery of 11. the price has fallen every day till 26.-15/161. the lowest quotation since last July has been reached to day. Both India and China have sold freely during the downward course of the market and buyers have been very scarce, even the Bears whose former sales are now falling due, preferring to postpone their commitments rather than cover them outright. The outlook for the market is consequently very uncertain, and, although there has been a little China buying to-day, in the absence of any substantial support the present level would seem high enough and we close dull

Japan's Silk Trade. The export of raw silk has been very active this year. The 'otal value of the staple exported up to the end of October amountnation, and that the friendship see the establishment of a strong, matter of common common and more, than that arriving, the between China and Great Britain united and prosperous China, even the quoting of special low figures, being 280,534 boxes would grow and he maintained which coincides with the firm rates does not always bring offers against 252,456 last year. The for even within messurable distance. In stock on the market at the end of the contract of within messurable distance. The Prosident replied to Sir the Chinese Republic. Every ex-small lots a fair number of lines. October showed a decrease of 806 John Jordan's aldress in the pression of sympathy and good- are arranged, but they are not of boxes on the figures for the corf.

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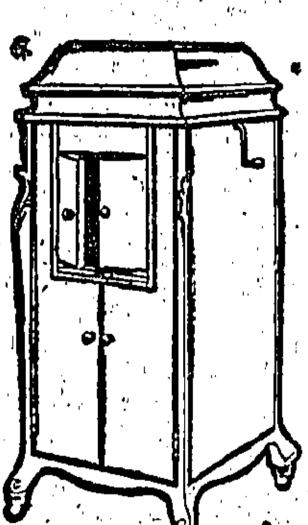
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The Board of Trade returns for October state that under exports the continued slump in cotton pared with last year. The bullion yarn shipments to China in returns show that £70,000 worth October, fell to less than half the dimensions recorded in the previous October. The value of purchases by the Dutch East Indies and the Straits Settlements were, on the other hand, higher. somewhat similar result is reflected in the figures for the longer period. Turning to the great suple of British trade with Fast Aria, cotton piece goods in the amateur championship business with China shows up well, and much better than market reports had led us to expect. There was an increase in Octcber's exports thither of over £400,000 at compared with the corresponding month of last year. Advances in value are also recorded in the base of the Dutch East Indies at Siam, but the trade with Japa, and the Straits Commodious Premises No. 38& 40 Settlements show. Is considerable falling off. For the ten months the cotton goods \ Int to China Bre valued nearly £3,000,000 higher than last' yet, and the Straits Sottlements: Dutch East Indies, and Sam vave also been considerably be tomers. The linen pie \goods trade with the Dutch Col. v and Japan was dull last 100. also apparently was that in len and worsted tissues with and Japan. Taking the lo. period, however, the latter co try has bought consideral larger supplies of both woolle and, worsted tissues, wherea the figures for China are smaller. than in 1912. Big shipments of sulphate of ammonia were rent to Japan in the month under the consideration, but rather less to Et the Dutch East Indies. Passing in on the figures concerning metals and metal manufactures, it may eiderably less on ship, bridge rin and Hakka. iron or steel rails which conlinue Hongkong, 29th Jan., 1912. to be shipped to the Maley Peninsula for extending the railways there. Exports of machinery to that region are also still expand-

ments and the F. M. S. together sent double the quantity of that article reaching Great Britain from Brazil. Hemp imports from the Philippines were larger. Straits tin shipments also show an increase, but a considerably lower price was obtained as comof the white met I we t to China last month.

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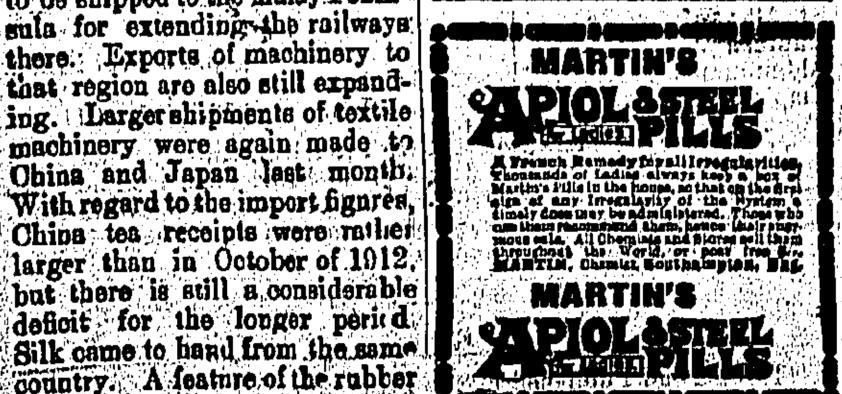
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POST OFFICE. SHIPPING NEWS. The Himalaya, with the English Mail left Singapore on Saturday, 13th inst., at 9 a.m. and is due to arrive here on Kamakura Maru, Jap. s.s. 3,798. T Horl packet brings the parcel mails closed in London for despatch by the all-sea route on the 12th uls. and for despatch over-MAILS DUE. MAILS ARRIVED TO-DAY MAILS CLOSE TO-DAY. Straits, and Ceylon—Per KAGA MARU Shanghal, North China, Japan via Moji, ---Per BORNEO, 16th Dec. TO-MORROW. Hollow, Haiphong, Pakhol & Salgon-Per KJELD, 17th inst., 8 a.m. Haiphong, Pakhoi and Salgon-Per TRIUMPH, 17th irst. 8 a.m. Swatow and Bangkok-Per PAKLAT, Philippine Is .- Per INDRA, 17th instant, Indra, Br. s.s. 3,850, J. C. Alexander, 16th Swatow, Amoy & Foochow-Per KAIJO MARU, 17th inst., 9 a.m. Swatow and Amoy-Per HAIMUN 17th Swatow and Bangkok --- Per CHILDAR, Philippine Islands, Australia
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15th instant-Moji, 10th instant Pressure has increased considerably Africa, Aus. s.s. 2,349, V. Iranoich, 15th over the Yangtre Valley and slight along the south coast of China to Annam. instant--Shanghai, 13th instant, Strong monsoon is indicated along the east coast of China and freshening mon-Ship Shing, Br. a.: 1,199, T. M. Meyrlok soon over the N. China Sea. 15th instant, Tientsin, 8th instant Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 s.m. to-day, 0.01 inches. Kumano Maru, Jap. s.s. 3,154, N. Winok ler, 15th instant -- Nagasaki, 11th Gen N. Y. K. 39 FORECAST FOR THE 54 HOURS ENDING AT MOON TO-MORROW Licongsang, Br. as 1,859, W. G. G. Lench 15th instant, ... Manila 18th inst. General...J. M. District. lango Maru, Jap. s.s. 2.475. M. Yishinaga Hongkong and Neighbour-15th instant -- Manila 12th Inst Montoaim, Fr. Craiser 9,600, C. de Balin-court 15th instant---Tonkin: Formosa Channel Tungshing, Br. s.s. 1,175 L. F. Hussey 16th instant, --- Baigon 11th inst 3 South coast of China be-) The same tween H.K. and Lamocks 5 as No. 1 Chihli, Br. a.s. 1,158, McTutosh, 15th Inst 5 Bouth coast of China be- The same --- Amoy. 14th lastant, Gen --- B. tween H.K. and Hainan ... 3 as No. 1. Devawongso, Br. s.s. 1,041, Shearer 15th instant-Baigon 11th inst. Rice 16th December, a.m. instant ... Shanghui, 13th instant General ... S. T. and Co. Station. French. s.s. 710, Le Chevalier, 15th instant...Haiphong, 10th, instant Gen---A.R. Marty. Lacrtes, Br. s.s. 1,340. Wawn, 15th inst. --- Saigon, 10th instant General---Hakodate " Haimun, Br. r.s. 641, J. W. Evans, 16th instant...Swatow, 15th instant, General-D. I., & Co. Borneo, Br. s.s. 2,119, I' d, Ram, 16th inst. London, 1st ult, General---P. and Ningpo, Br. s.s. 1,228, T. W. Pichard, 15th instant---Amoy, 15th instant Ballast---B. and 8. Itsukushima Mara, Jap. 2,945, Sando, 16th instant-Freemantle, 28th ult., Sandal Wood---M.B. K. Bwatow DEBARTED. Taihoku Taiohu Tainan Koshun Pidores December 14 Canton H'kong Gap Rock Масао Wuchow Pakhoi Seang Choon for Rangoon Holbow Harunasan Maru for Milke Hopeang for Dalny Chin Chow for Kwong Yen Legaspi Iloilo CLEARANCES AT THE Labuan HARBOUR OFFICE. December 15. Tango Maru for Yokohama

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1 Barometer, reduced to 32 degrees Fahrenheit on the level of the sea in in-2 Temperature, in the shade, in degrees 3 Humidity, in percentage of saturation, the Humidity of air saturated with mols-

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> SHIPPING LATEST

The H.A.L. s.s. BRASILIA left Shinghat on the 15th instant, a.m. and may be expected here on or about the 18th

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